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TRYING AGAIN WITH COURSE SYLLABUS ON GLOBALIZATION

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Wow, what a course! So pleased to see the prescient David Korten well represented in the readings [year ago I read and admired his:

Community Organization and Rural Development: A Learning Process Approach, David C. Korten

Public Administration Review, Vol. 40, No. 5 (Sep. - Oct., 1980), pp. 480-511

Wish I'd taken such a visionary course in my youth.

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"And take upon's the mystery of things,
as if we were God's spies."
Shakespeare, King Lear

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my latest book: "Understanding social psychology across cultures"
(2013): <http://www.sagepub.in/books/Book240293>

Latest book on social

axioms: <http://www.amazon.com/Psychological-Aspects-Social-Axioms-Understanding/dp/0387098097>

the latest addition to the "Forbidden City" of Chinese
psychology: <http://www.oup.com/us/catalog/general/subject/Psychology/Clinical/?view=usa&ci=9780199541850>

Recent book on Chinese organizational behaviour, edited with my M&M colleague, Xu
Huang: http://www.eelgar.co.uk/bookentry_main.lasso?id=14417&breadcrumblink=&breadcrumbm=&sub_values=&site_Bus_Man=&site_dev=&site_eco=&site_env_eco=&site_inn_tech=&site_int_pol=&site_law=&site_pub_soc=

 [Comment by Louise Sundararajan](#) by Louise S. [2015, Nov 07]

Hi Andy,

The following book sounds relevant:

The wellness syndrome.

Cederström, Carl; Spicer, André

Oxford, England: Polity Press The wellness syndrome. (2015). 163 pp.

"Visions of social change have been reduced to dreams of individual transformation, political debate has been replaced by insipid moralizing, and scientific evidence has been traded for new-age delusions."

This book joins others to call our attention to the fact that psychology is the long arm of globalization. The globalizing and pernicious impact of psychology lies in its psychologizing.

Here is a relevant book:

De Vos, J. (2012). Psychologisation in times of globalisation. London, UK: Routledge.

If you want to see how psychologizing (of positive psychology) is adopted in China to serve power, as it does in the West, read the trenchant analysis by Jie Yang:

Yang, J. (2015). Unknotting the heart/Unemployment and therapeutic governance in China. Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press.

Cheers,
Louise

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Michael,

So glad the course outline was of interest and indeed I share your appreciation of Korten's work.

The part of the puzzle I have been working on is identifying some of the negative consequences of globalization, the people and networks who maintain a broken global system and the ways they do so. That's the theme of my most recent book. *The Hidden Structure of Violence: Who Benefits From Global Violence and War* by Marc Pilisuk and Jennifer Achord Rountree.

I attached some descriptive materials. the publisher has been generous with sending copies to reviewers and faculty teaching in the area.

Be well,

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The Hidden Structure of Violence: Who Benefits From Global Violence and War by Marc Pilisuk and Jennifer Achord Rountree. New York, NY: New York Monthly Review, 2015. Released July 2015. Order the book here.

Peace Movements Worldwide (3 Volumes) by Marc Pilisuk and Michael Nagler (Eds). Santa Barbara, CA: Praeger/ABC-Clio, 2011.

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